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FLEET WEEK CHILI COOK OFF IS HOT!

Norfolk, VA (CNRMA) – The 22nd annual Fleet Week Chili Cook Off and Family Fair returns this year to Main Gate Park at Naval Air Station Oceana on Saturday, October 9, beginning at noon. Over twenty Navy commands will compete for the title “Best Chili in the Fleet.” Samples of each chili will be available for purchase with proceeds from the event benefiting the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society. The best chili is selected by a group of celebrity judges.

In addition to chili of all flavors, kiddie rides, face painting, pumpkin decorating, and much more are part of the celebration. Music will be provided by the United States Atlantic Fleet Band.

The Fleet Week Chili Cook Off and Family Fair is free and open to the public.

For more information on the Chili Cook off or any Fleet Week Hampton Roads event, please call 322-2853 or visit www.cnrma.navy.mil.

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